THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF FOOD (SHRI TARUN GOGOI) : (a) There is no restriction on inter-State movement of levy-free rice, wheat, coarsegrains and oilseeds. In view of the need to maximise procurement of rice for public stocks, the State Government of Andhra Pradesh, Karnataka, Haryana, Uttar Pradesh (in certain divisions) and Chandigarh Administration, have however, imposed inter-State movement restrictions on paddy. Madhya Pradesh, Rajasthan, Pondicherry and Tamil Nadu have allowed movement outside their respective State of paddy after payment of 25%, 25%, 30% and 50% export levy respectively.

(b) No, Sir.

(c) and (d) Do not arise.

Threat to launch an agitation by AIKVTA

827. SHRI GURUDAS DAS GUPTA :
PROF. SAURIN BHATTACHARYA :
SHRI GAYA SINGH :

Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :

(a) whether it is a fact that All India Kendriya Vidyalaya Teachers' Association has recently threatened to launch an agitation in support of its demands;

(b) if so, what is the response of Government; and

(c) whether any talks have been held with the Association in this respect ?

THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DEPTT. OF EDUCATION AND DEPTT. OF CULTURE) (KUMARI SELJA) : (a) to (c) Yes, Sir. Talks have been held by Kendriya Vidyalaya Sangathan with the representatives of Teachers Associations including AIKVTA, on 16th and 17th November, 1992 to discuss their demands.

Sports Hostels in the Country

828. DR. NARREDDY THULASI REDDY : Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :

(a) how many Sports Hostels are there in the country and where they are located; and

(b) how many boys and girls are receiving training under the Sports Hostel Scheme of Sports Authority of India ?

THE MINISTER OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRI ARJUN SINGH) : (a) There are 17 Sports Hostels in the country established by Sports Authority of India. Details have been given in the Statement (*See* below).

(b) Six Hundred and Eighty-one.

Statement

Sports Hostels in the Country

1. Cuttack (Orissa)
2. Siliguri (West Bengal)
3. Calcutta (West Bengal)
4. Guwahati (Assam)
5. Imphal (Manipur)
6. Dimapur (Nagaland)
7. Gandhinagar (Gujarat)
8. Bombay (Maharashtra)
9. Panaji (Goa)
10. Alwar (Rajasthan)
11. Bhiwani (Haryana)
12. Bilaspur (Himachal Pradesh)
13. Chandigarh (Chandigarh-UT)
14. Bangalore (Karnataka)
15. Madras (Tamil Nadu)
16. Hyderabad (Andhra Pradesh)
17. Calicut (Kerala)

Acute Shortage of NCERT Books in Arunachal Pradesh

829. SHRI NYODEK YONGGAM : Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government are aware that there is an acute shortage of NCERT books in the State of Arunachal Pradesh;

(b) whether Government are also aware that NCERT used to change curriculum frequently thereby causing great problem